

PATENT  
Attorney Docket No. 09812.0172-00000

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
Toru MINEYAMA et al. ) Group Art Unit: 3622  
Application No.: 09/973,512 ) Examiner: John W. Van Bramer  
Filed: October 9, 2001 ) Confirmation Number: 6341  
For: SERVER OPERATIONAL )  
EXPENSES COLLECTING )  
METHOD, AND APPARATUS )  
THEREFOR )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants petition for a one month extension of time to file a reply to the final Office Action of January 5, 2010. A fee of \$130.00 is enclosed.

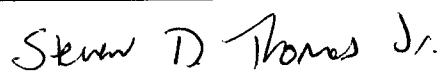
Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached reply and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: April 28, 2010

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